

REMARKS

By this Office Action, the Examiner has required restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

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| Group I  | Claims 1-15, drawn to an optical hybrid module, classified in class 385, subclass 88.                          |
| Group II | Claims 16-23, drawn to manufacturing method of an optical hybrid module, classified in class 385, subclass 14. |

Response to the Requirement for Restriction, Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group I, Claims 1-15, drawn to an optical hybrid module.

No fees are believed to be necessitated by the foregoing Response. However, should this be erroneous, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 502-470 for any underpayment, or credit any overages.

In view of the above, withdrawal of the Requirement for the Restriction is requested, and an early action on the merits of the Claims is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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